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#### PETITION FOR SUPERVISORY REVIEW

Applicant respectfully petitions, under 37 CFR 1.181(a)(3), to invoke the supervisory authority of the Director.

## A. Facts Involved

- 1. On 27 December 2007, the USPTO issued a Final Office Action that finally rejected claims 1-45 of the present application.
- On 22 February 2008, Applicant filed a Reply to the 27 December 2007 Office
   Action, that Reply traversing the final rejections of claims 1-45.
- 3. Also on 22 February 2008, Applicant filed a Petition to withdraw the finality of the 27 December 2007 Office Action due to that Office Action's introduction of a new grounds of rejection that was neither necessitated by applicant's amendment of the claims, nor based on information submitted in an information disclosure

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- statement filed during the period set forth in 37 CFR 1.97(c) with the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).
- 4. No Advisory Action has yet been issued responsive to the 22 February 2008 Reply.
- 5. No Decision has yet been issued responsive to the 22 February 2008 Petition.
- 6. Each of the above facts is established by the official record found in PAIR.

# **B.** Action Requested

- 1. Applicant respectfully requests that Applicant's 22 February 2008 Petition to withdraw the finality of the 27 December 2007 Office Action be timely granted and that prosecution be promptly re-opened.
- 2. If Applicant's 22 February 2008 Petition to withdraw the finality of the 27 December 2007 Office Action is not timely granted, Applicant hereby petitions for:
  - **a**. timely issuance of a proper Advisory Action;
  - b. timely entry of a Request for Continuing Examination under 37 CFR 1.114; and
  - timely entry of the 22 February Reply as the submission to accompany the C. RCE.
- 3. Applicant considers any required Petition fees already paid. Nevertheless, should any additional petition or other fees be deemed required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16, 1.17, or 1.181, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any such fees, and to credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-2504.

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# CONCLUSION

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2504. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 434-972-9988 to discuss any matter regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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